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the Editor of the Intelligencer.

respondence in respect to a proposed ar-

Baltimore & Ohio Telegraph Company, which I herawith hand you for publication. Very respectfully, (Signed) Norvin Green, Prest.

JULY, 8, 1885. Hon. John Pender, M. P., London:

[Bigned] July, 18, 1885.

such amount of property. We caunot to beyond the cost value of the property as a basis, [Signed] Green,

The Road will Place Tickets in the Outside

enger affairs are getting continually into

a more entangled condition, and the indi-

of the Chicago lines abolishing the pay

Notorious Desperado Caught.

Errors, Boston, 9; New York, 11. Bases, Boston, 9; New York, 13. Pitchers, Whitney and Corcoran.

At St. Louis.—St. Louis, 3; Pittsburgh, 1. Errors, St. Louis, 4; Pittsburgh, 5. Bases, St. Louis, 6; Pittsburgh, 7. Struck out, by Caruthers, 5; by Morris, 4.

At Cincinnati—Louisville, 12; Cincinnatis, 2. Errors, Louisville, 2; Cincinnati, 7. Bases, Louisville, 25; Cincinnatis, 8. Struck out, by White, 4; by Hecker, 4.

At Providence-Providence, 1; Phila-delphia, 5. Errors, Providence, 5; Phila-delphia, 10. Hases, Providence, 5; Phila-delphia. Pitchers, Radbourne and Fer-

At New York-New York, Metropoli-

tan, 1; Brooklyn, 4. Errors, Metropolitan, 4; Brooklyn, 3. Bases, Metropolitan, 5; Brooklyn 9. Struck out by Harkins, 11; by Cushman, 4.

At Philadelphia—Athletics, 4; Balti-

more, 4; called on account of darkness. Errors, Athletics 5; Baltimore, 3. Bases, Athletics, 8; Baltimore, 12. Struck out by Matthews, 7; by Henderson, 10.

Hon, John Pender, London

[Signed]

LONDON, July 11, 1885.

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Dr. Norvin Green, New York:

## The Intelligencer.

them regularly, and the address changed as often desired, at the rate of 65 cents per month.

has changed hands. This paper has ha a checkered career, and the "villain still

MARVELOUS stories are told of the winsing of turimen this [season. This is very well, but who shall see the miserre of the other side!

"HESDRICKS refuses to talk politics, says an exchange. The consideration displayed by the Vice President cannot be too highly commended.

Tus President will remain in the secla sion of the Adirondacks for four weeks Think of that, ye suffering, sweltering patriots who clamor for office!

JOHN KELLY left Tammany? Not a bit of it. He is simply grinding his knives Nobody is likely to step in and take his THE New York World has done a noble

work in raising \$100,000 for the completion of the pedestal of the statue of liberty. It is now the people's statue. The millionaires of New York were singularly close in regard to contributing to the FAMILIES that indulge in the luxury

pet hears would confer a favor on the children by not placing too much confidence in the bear. A family in James town, Pa., will no doubt consider this advice after they have, buried their mangled

proves once more that we Americans are purpose, we are pretty good talkers on the average. Almost every hamlet had its Grant oration, and some of the best were delivered in the smallest places.

Hill had an interview at Albany the other day, but the subject of the coming cam paign in New York was not mentioned. This is what might be called an "ominous sign," and that Hill's aspirations to be come a political mountain may dwindle into an insignificant mound.

P. T. BARNUM rises to remark: man, seven for a woman and eight for a fool,' he ought to have slept eight hours. It is little enough for anybody." There are times when forty-eight hours a day strikes the weary soul as about the correct thing for restoring the waste.

Eveny summer some Southern reporte hunts up old unreconstructed Bob Toombs led to the downfall of the Confederacy and it is always the same old story-the would do well to emulate the example ci

tion created much disgust". It is not specified whether the disgust was provoked because no more bulls and horse were left to kill, or whether the andienc ed toreador. Why were the people dis-gasted? They expected the battle to be all on one side; that no gore would stain the dust of the arena but that of the bull tortured to frenzy. Horses were slaip One can sympathize with the dumb brutes, but it is a pity that the human brutes who indulged in the cruel sport proaches the hull-fights of other countries.

obtaining money under false pretenses, is again in trouble, having been brought into the Superior Criminal Court to-day, on default of a warrant for obtaining money from S. Cobb, F. Ames and others of this city, by false pretenses, in representing that he was Colonel Simms, of Charleston. leston.

WIEKITEG, August 11.-When Mrs. Riel, who resides a few miles out of the city, heard of her husband's sentence she be came frantic and rushed from her house came frantic, and rushed from her house to the woods, where she hild. She was was only partially clethed and in her bare feet, and was nearly dead when found by her friends. So terrible is the shock that she may never recover her resson. A great deal of sympathy is felt for her and her children, and a subscription list has been started for them, as they are penni-less.

Condition of Riel's Family.

Washington, August 11.-Much is said in the recent report on the Coast Survey of sincoure places, but the report does no state that one of the most conspicuous sineenrists is a man who draws a large salary, who performed no work whatever for the Coast Survey, and whose chief duty it has been to act as the private secretary of a Democratic member of Congress from Indiana.

The Resolutions Passed by the Con-

ticket nominated by the Belmont Demo cratic County Convention, to-day, reads

vention in Regard to Grant's Death,

as follows: TREASURER,

JAMES B. RYAN, of Richland. OWEN MEEHAN, of Richland.

JAMES COOK, of Wheeling, SURVEYOR,
IBAIAH NICHOLS, of Pultney.

THE CONVENTION. The Proceedings in Detail—The Resolu-tions on Grant's Death.

Only a few delegates and one or to andidates came to town last night. This morning the trains brought the remainder, and nearly all the delegations were con plets. The St. Clairsville brass band for nished the music, which inspired the Democratic heart, and at the hour of calling the convention to order the streets hotel accommodations of the town were crowded to their utmost capacity. The convention met at Welday's Hall

The convention met at Welday's Hall' favor of George W. Medill, of Pease. at 11 o'clock. The decorations were not profuse, consisting wholly of small flags. Really printed placards informed the delegates the position of the seats assigned them. I. M. Riley, Esq., Chairman of the County Central Committee, called the assembled Democracy to order and introduced Rev. Dr. Alexander, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, who invoked Divine blessing.

The ballot proceeded as follows: Ryan, Diessing.

TEMPORARY ORGANIZATION. Mr. Riley announced that there were no seats provided for "strikers" among the delegations, and as Hamlet is not mitted from his play, the temporary presultation was as follows: President.

Hon. R. S. Clark, of Union; Secretary, James B. Ityan, of Richland, The old stalwart war-horse, whose duty The old stal wart war-horse, whose duty it has been to preside over so many Democratic gatherings came forward and was greeted with applause. His speech was a foreible and vigorous one. He referred feelingly to the fact that this was the first Democratic county convention held under Democratic rule for twenty-five years, and his alight allusion to the distribution of Federal patronage was sufficient to thrill the heart of the average Democrat who believes with Jackson, "to the victor belong the spoils." General Grant's death was alluded to and the speaker said that after his memorable words, "Let us have Peace," it remained for a "feather-bed soldier". [Col. J. D. Taylor) to dare wave the bloody shirt. The present administration was given an The present administration was given an excellent certificate of good intentions, hough singularly enough, President Dieveland's name aroused little enthu-

Sly Ross Alexander was fishing in a branch

if the Potomsc, but his co-patriet, Dr. ohn Cook, who has been angling for the Bridgeport postoffice, was on hand looking out for "suckers." On his motion the fol-

ont for "suckers." On his motion the following committees were appointed, and the convention adjourned to reassemble at one o'clock r.M.:

Credentials—Albert W. Kennon, H. G. Wilson, M. J. W. Glover, James Danice, T. J. Carr.

Rules and Order of Business—S. Q. Hamilton, T. J. Smith, R. C. Meyer, J. G. Owens, I. H. Lucas.

Permanent Organization—J. C. Mitchell, H. W. Bigley, J. A. Greenlee, I. H. Patterson, Carl McIlvaine.

At half-past one o'clock the Convention again assembled.

THE PERMANENT ORGANIZATION.

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Ham, Eaton be assistant secretaries. The report was adopted.

The Committee on Rules and Order of were not the victims. We have a "sort Business reported that the rules govern- and had since been heard to make threats of amusement" in this country which applies the General Assembly of the State of and Illife Flummer about a week ago, and had since been heard to make threats Onio shall be the rules of the convention; and the sooner disgust settles down on our that the bailots for candidates shall be by people the better will it be for the morality of our boasted civilization. There is a slight difference, but very little distinction, between a bull-fight and a contest in the prize ring.

Moses' Mistake.

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Boston, Mass., August 11.—Ex-Gov-ernor Franklin D. Moses, of South Caro-derective franklin D. Moses, of South Caro-derective for the claims of W. S. Barton. ernor Franklin D. Moses, of South Caro-lias, who was recently released from cus-tody in Middlesex county, where he was serving out a term of imprisonment for obtaining money under false pretonses, is examin in trouble. having been brought

Central Committee for their carelessness in apportioning delegates. The report was adopted and Mr. Barton refused a seat. W. N. Coffland. Esq., read a resolution on General Grant's death. It was seconded by M. T. Stidd and on a rising vote was carried unanimously.

The resolutions, of Him who

WHEREAS, In the wisdom of Him who our midst our illustrious fellow citizen,

General U.S. Grant, therefore

Resolved, That we, the Democratic Party
of Belmont county, Ohio, assembled in
convention, do sincerely mourn his loss,
feeling that in his death the whole counfeeling that in his death the whole country has sustained the loss of a true friend, one who, valiant in battle, could when the enemies had yielded to the force of arms, see in the future a united people, and contributed not only in the conditions of Lee's surrender, but by his every public act and especially in his late utterances to the grand reunion of this mighty Nation. Resolved, That we, voting the sentiments not only of this nation, but the people of the world, send to the afflicted wides and family our sincers sympathy in their great bereavement.

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Nominations for Representative were

BOURBON BUCKEYES. and Ross J. Alexander was the first nominee. A motion was made to make it unanimons, but the inharmonious Bellaire delegation shouted a hearty "no."

W. L. Cook, of Bridgeport, sprung the name of Dr. E. N. Riggs, of Powhatan, on

the convention.

First ballot: Riggs, 16; Wagner, 25;
Danford, 17; Irwin, 30; Thompson, 2;

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Marshal Carr, of Barnesivlle, brought forward J. W. Laughlin, of the same place.
Second ballot: Wagner, 26; Irwin, 24; Laughlin, 19; Danford, 13.
M. J. W. Glover, of Smith township, arose to make a "few suggestions."
M. J. Tidd burst forth again and in a fiaming apaceth put M. J. W. Glover in nomination. Then confusion followed and the excited running talk showed considerable bad blood. The Bellaire delega-

and the excited running talk showed considerable bad blood. The Bellaire delegation essecially had their blood up, and James Follen, of Bellaire, furiously withdrew Irwin's name, while George H. Alath, of the same city, rose to second the nomination of J. W. Laughlin, to whom he referred as "that Barnesville man." He didn't even know his name.

On the third ballot Laughlin received the nomination. It resulted: Laughlin, 56; Wagner, 27. Several delegates voted against a motion to make it unanimous. In a long-winded effort, Marion Hofman, of Bellaire, gave George Kern a good send-off for Treasurer; William Warnock was named by Amos Shepherd. D. H. Milligan, of St. Clairwille, neatly presented R. J. Riley's name. Nathaniel Taylor announced T. J. Henderson, of Wheeling; J. W. Shannon presented the name of H. G. Workman. Several seconds were heard.

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The rules were suspended and Owen Meehan was renominated for Commissioner by acclamatibn.

James Cook, of Wheeling, received the nomination for Infirmary Director, and Isaiah Nichol, of Puliney, was named for Surveyor to complete the ticket.

I. M. Riley, Eq., announced that he Senatorial convention would meetat Flushing on August 27, then the faithful flocked out of the nall and the Democratic County Convention was declared adjourned.

The press was represented as follows:

Accidentally Drowned.

STRUBENVILLE, August 11.-Yesterday vening Mrs. D. P. Kellar, residing at lolliday's Cove, W. Va., had occasion to isit a neighbor near by, but had to cros the creek. Her little daughter, Sadie, aged 18 months, followed her motior, but accidentally fell into the creek, and was drowned. The body was recovered.

A TERRIBLE CRIME.

A Negreza' Awful Act—Compelling an Infant to Swallow Lyc. NASHVILLE, TENN., August 11.—One of he most horrible crimes ever committed in Tennessee was committed here last light by a negress named Anna Daven port. She had a fight with another woman named Millie Plummer about a week ago, nd ill feelings. Millie became frightene and moved to another part of the city. and moved to another part of the city.

Early last evening Millie left her fourmonths-old baby at home and went to
a ball. About 10 o'clock a policeman
pussing her house heard frightfal screaming
and broke in the door. Anna Davenport
was standing over the child, which was
half covered with a quilt. The policeman
threw back the covering and found that
the head, face and neck of the child were
covered with blood. The skin was pealing off, the blood cozing and half of list
lib was eaten away. Anna Davenport had p was eaten away. Anna Davenport had breed the baby to swallow concentrated lye, and had poured the stuff over its body. The can which the lye was carried in was found under the bed. The woman vas hurried to jall, as threats to lynch her vere frequent. The child is dying.

A Terrible Scourge. PITTSBURGH, PA., August 11.-A special o the Commercial-Gazette from Mt. Pleashat the dysentery will become epidemic. governeth the Nations, He has taken from In Bridgeport, a mining village, south of this, to-day over thirty cases were reported and five deaths so far. Dr. H. well, the ed and five deaths so far. Dr. H. well, the town physician, is down with the disease, and, like many others, there are slight hopes of his recovery. Impure water and fifth are generally the prime causes for the ravages of the disease. In many places the atmosphere is fitted with a stench which is nearly unbearable. Owing to the slackness of work at the surrounding cake works and the large number who are altogether out of employment, starvation stares many in

employment, starvation stares many in the face. It is nothing unusual to have children cry for bread. The head of one family stated to-day he had had nothing in his hous; for two weeks to eat but

CHICAGO, ILIS., August 11,-Ex-Secre-

berearement.

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Hotal Burned.

Asanville, N. C., August 11.—This morning at 2 clock the main building of the Haywood White Sulphur Springs Hotel, of Waynesville, took fire from the kitchen and was totally destroyed. The larniture was saved. There were about two hundred guests at the hotel. They all escaped and saved everything. The loss is about \$30,000; no insurance.

City stand Gets Them.

Playrsure, N. Y., August 11.—President Cleveland and Dr. Ward reached Prospect Hosse, Upper Saranac Lake, Tity Ballor for Representative, Tity Ballor for Representative were possible to the Indians by meeting the catilemen. The former were about the following result:

The Particular of Representative were considered.

I. H. Day, of Mead, presented a work ranned to the Cheyenne and Arapahoe tribes in 1883, had ever been sanctioned or recognized by him as Secretary of the Interior. He says that he specifically rated at the time, and incorporated the statement in his report of 1883, that the Government reserved the right to interior the came necessary, either of its own motion and the following result:

James Taggart, of Union, quietly named the state of the Indians the Government would not not interfere with the possessions.

Senator Teller is of the opinion that much good had been done the Indians by meeting the cattlemen. The former were

PLAYTEBURG, N. Y., August 11.—President Clevyland and Dr. Ward reached appliance followed, and then the halloting began, with the following result:

Prospect Honse, Upper Saranse Lake, their destination at 2 o'clock this afternoon. They had a pleasant, neverential buckboard ride of forty-seven miles from the railway terminus at An Sable.

Onded it in a fervant speech. The first real appliance followed, and then the halloting began, with the following result:

THE BALLOT FOR HYPERENTATIVE.

Alexander, 47; Wagner, 9; Irwin, 23; Mayers, 2.

Forty-seven was necessary to a choice, business.

A MINE DISASTER

WHEELING, WEST VA., WEDNESDAY MORNING. AUGUST 12, 1885.

TWELVE PERSONS SUFFOCATED

Heroic Effort-How the Men Fought Alleged on Part of Mine Owners.

WILKESBARRE, PA., August 11.-Reliable nformation has just been received here that a terrible explosion of gas took place in the West End Coal Company mines this morning, at Mocanaqua, fifteen miles from here. As far as can be learned ten miners were instantly killed and several others dangerously injured.

THE DEAD AND WOUNDED.

The workmen repairing the fan were and in about an hour later the same fate happened to many more in the mine. Be more than twenty were unconscious Superintendent John Tessdale and several of his men became unconscious and were with difficulty rescued. Others went down and in the face of immense difficulties, and in the face of immense difficulties, and in spite of being continually overpowered with gas, got out all but ten men. Three of those brought out were dead and the others are beyond doubt dead.

The dead as far as can be learned are: James Whalen, William Vineby, Peter Borditzer, John Oliday and Hiram Mead. Among those who are soriously injuried.

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Chairman Riley's Mistake.

St. Clairsville, O., August 11.—The joke was on Chairman Riley to day. He stated to the convention that the seats were reserved for delegates, not for "strikers." Of course he meant the word in its political signification, and was so understood by most persons, but some of, the wtfairmen from the river who are out of employment thought he referred to them, and they daubed on their war paint and demanded an explanation. Mr. Riley denied the term was applied to his horny-handed brethren, who duly apologized for the mistake.

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ully ascertained is as follows: JAMES WHEGAN, aged 54, miner, wid

wer, with six small children. HIRAM O. MEAD, aged 40, married, two children. Wm. Zoiknyy, aged 24, laborer, single. Peter Bondaski, aged 27, miner, single

John Billy, aged 40, miner, married ive children. WM. PRICE, laborer, aged 22.

JAMES FRY, aged 32, miner, married wo children. Nicholas Berles, aged 30, miner, five Wilson RYMER, aged 28, laborer, mar-

single.

Those who were overcome with gas and well and out of danger.

A Steel Combination. LONG BRANCH, N. J., August 11 .- A neeting of representatives of the Besse ner Steel Company, limited, was held at t view to mapying out the plan of action to be pursued at the general meeting of the steel manufacturers of the United States to morrow. One of the objects of the uneeting will be to form a combination similar to that which has prevailed in Europe for nearly two years, and which has given universal satisfaction. There are three distinct branches of steel manufacture known as the Bessemer of the satisfaction of the satisfaction of the satisfaction. Ford's flouring mill and adjoining property, at New Haven 111 There are three distinct branches of steel manufacture known as the Bessemer, Openhearth and Crucible. The Bessemer Steel Company comprises eleven of the leading manufacturers, and practically controls the industry in this country. An officer of one of the leading steel companies said to-day that the combination it formed, would probably fix the price of rails at \$30 per ton, thus giving the manufacturers a small percentage of profit, and preventing underbidding by foreign proproducers. Cleveland Boiling Mill Strike.

CLEVELAND, O., August 11 .- The striking employes of the Cleveland Rolling Mill, held a large meeting last night and agreed to stand as firm as ever and never It was announced at a meeting that an attempt would be made to start up a por-tion of the wire mills to-day and at an tion of the wire mills to-day and at an early hour a large crowd of foreigners gathered at the mills to prevent any one from going to work. At 6 o'cleck about 700 of them had congregated in the front of the mill gate, and pushing the watchman aside they rushed into the mill on an exploring expedition. Finding no one at work they retired, but plackets are kept on guard all day. They kept up their espionage as regular as during the first days of the strike and are determined that no man shall go to work until they are reinstated.

Perrsaugus, Pa., August 11.-The strike on the Wheeling division of the Baltimore & Ohio Railway against "double-headers" is at an end, and trains are running lo-day as usual. The dissatisfied employees have been discharged and paid off, and their places filled with new men. No more trouble is anticipated.

A Combination Strike.

Previous, August 11,-A conference of the Monongabela and Kanawha miners is being arranged with the view of widening the strike in the two districts if the operators refuse to advance the price of mining one-half percent per bushel,

TANTON'S MEMORY VINDICATED.

A Case of Blackmail in Which a Subordinate Figured—The Truth of the Matter. PHILADELPHIA, PA., August 11.—The prints a story in which it is asserted that Alexander M. White, of this city, was imprisoned during the rebellion by order of Secretary Stanton, in pursuance of a which plot Stanton was a principal. The release, was compelled to pay \$32,500, and cut his throat in order to avoid the ignominy that would attach to it. The t le is old with considerable detail, and a giving of figures and dates that lend to it an air

others dangerously injured.

Further intelligence of the disaster says: The fan that supplies fresh air to the West End mine at Mocanaqua broke, depriving the mine of air. Four men have been brought to the surface dead and four or five more are yet in the mine and cannot be reached, owing to impure air.

Just before night the shift went off daty the fan broke. The bees knew this and so did the men of the day shift before they entered the mine, taking a great risk. There were about thirty men in all who were supplied with safety lamps, as it was well known that gas would accumulate. About seventy-live men were in the mine at the time whom work began.

THE DEAD AND WOUNDED.

teen to eighteen pounds to the bushel. At my suggestion the Government, through Colonel Ingalls, Deputy Quartermaster-General, had sgreed to accept twenty pounds of corn and twelve pounds of corn to the welve pounds of corn to the bushel, and contracts in that proportion were duly executed, and millions of pounds of forage had been delivered when no arrest took place. At the same time Charles Copeland, of Baltimore, and John Hill and other forage contractors, whose names I cannot at the moment remember, and A. C. Hall, of Baltimore, who charlered vessels for the Government, were arrested. Adam H. Wogthman, of teen to eighteen pounds to the bushel. At my suggestion the Government, through were arrested. Adam H. Wogthman, of this city, a forage contractor, subsequently President of the Fourth and Eighth Street

President of the Fourth and Eighth Street Rallway, was to have been arrested, but 1 believe made terms and avoided it."

Mr. White says they were all arrested under a warrant issued by Assistant Secretary of War Peter W. Watson, by order of Lafayette C. Baker, Chief of the Secret Service, and locked up in the old Capitol prison; that Baker accused them of cheating the Government, and demanded of him (White) \$110,000 for his release; that subsequently he (White) paid Baker \$32,000 and was released after nine days' imprisonment. White adds that: "During Johnson's Presidency, when he and Stan-000 and was released after nine days' imprisonment. White adds that: "During Johnson's Presidency, when he and Stanton were fighting, I met by appointment, S:anton and Baker at the Continental Hotel. There Baker confessed; in the presence of Stanton and myself, that my arrest and that of the other contractors in 1862, was the result of a blackmail conspiracy between himself (Baker) and Assistant Secretary of War Watson, and that there never had been any charge against ust upon which an arrest could be ordered. Stanton vigorously denounced the transaction as an outrage, and promised me that my money should go back to me."

me."
The money, White says, was subsequently, by order of General Schofield, paid to him through the Metropolitan National Bank of Washington. How the War Department ever squared the transaction with the Treasury has often puzzled him.

CLEVELAND, O., August 11 .- The Press much indignation has been aroused among

Wheeler, living in a but with six negro men who, she said, were her husbands, The woman lived in as qualid hot and was only halt clad, and showed signs of beating on her back and arms. Some years ago she escaped from the State Asylum and was found by these negroes who made her a prisoner to do their cooking and washing and subjected her to various indignities.

Guarding Against Danger.

Berlin, August 11.—It is abnounced to-

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Moro Phillips, a Texas ten millionaire, s dead.

Ford's flouring mill and adjoining property, at New Haven, Ill., were burned. loss, \$25,000. Major Wm. L. Gould, of the Pay De-

partment of the army, has been placed on the retired list. Hugh Moult, one of the pioneers of Wayne county, Ind., died suddenly of cholera morbus.

The population of Massachusetts, on a rough estimate of the census returns of Edward Rodey, aged about ten years,

ucyrus, O., Monday. Albert R. Herrick, a well known liquor dealer, New York, was killed in his ceilar, presumably by his step-son.

Mrs. J. S. Laniz, an old lady living near Logan, Ohio, swallowed her false teeth while coughing and choked to death.

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It is stated that Congress will take action, in all probability, upon the pardon of Police Lieutenant Mulien of Cincinnati, and Union and Baltimore & Ohio Telegraph Companies, is denied by the authorities of both.

Thomas Eckenrode, of Cincinnati, aged about twelve years, accidentally shot himself with a shotgun, and his life is despaired of:

Sceretary Rayard and and silve is despaired of:

Berlin, August 13.

sparce of.

Secretary Bayard announces that during
his vacation he will read all applications
for consular appointments. These applications aggregate 40,000 pages.

Mrs. Frankie Morris, convicted at Erie, Charles S, Peirce, an assistant in the Coast Survey, is charged with retaining in his possession some two hundred valuable volumes belonging to the Government.

The New York Star suspended under its present management last Sunday. On Thursday it will appear under new con-trol, with Mr. Dorsheimer, editor in chief.

FROM OVER THE OCEAN

The Afchans Determined to Oppose Russia The Bapid Advance of the Cholers.

lishes to-day a letter from Meshed, Persia, rangement between this company and the in which it is stated the Afghans are acting in such a way as to give the Russians no possible excuse in making an attack. The writer says the Ameer's troops do not pass the frontier which Russia admits is Afghan, that they refrain from moving their troops towards the Russian position, and even from strengthening their own

outposts.

The letter also says that the excitement among the Turkomans, which was re-cently attributed by an English writer to the alleged brutality of the Russian sol-dlery toward native women, is really due to the warlike preparations which Russia is making throughout Turkoman territory.

GERMAN ANNEXATION.

he Zanzibar Colonization and Other Ma Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, stated not confirm the reports of the alleged the contrary showed the chiefs of the various districts remained steadfast in their loyality to the Sultan. It is stated that Sir John Kirk, British 5 Consul General of Zanzibar, telegraphs the Sultan that he has appealed to the English fleet for protection. Admiral Paschen, commanding the German squadron, presented an ultimatum on Saturday, threatening that his squadron would begin active operations unless the Sultan withdrew his forces levying tribute in the region which Germany claims. It is rumored that Salisbury has communicated with the powers, and that the matter will be held in abeyance until England has had time to consider the Sultan's appeal.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach announced that the Government were still uncertain as to various districts remained steadfast in

the Government were still uncertain as t the time Parliament would be prorogued the time Parliament would be prorogned, as they hoped to proceed at this session with the bill for the housing of the poor and with the Irish Land Purchase bill. He lurther announced that he would on Tuesday next move a vote of thanks to the army and navy for their services in Egypt. ment of commissions to outside offices

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The Poor bill passed second reading. Sir Charles Dilke spoke in the debate, and was recaived with cheers.

Sir Richard A. Cross, Home Secretary, moved the second reading of the bill for the housing of the poor, and stated that the object of the measure was to prevent the overcrowding of people in dwellings and also the overcrowding of houses within particular areas. He added that the Government intended to place the great prisons of the metropolis outside London, and utilize their present sites for the construction thereon of artisans' dwellings.

LONDON, August 11 -Since the Bristo ed to Marseilles that all British-bound vesday publishes an article stating that sels leaving it must undergo four days much indignation has been aroused among Democrats of this State by the appointment of M. A. Hanna, a Republican, to the Government Directorship of the Union Pacific railroad. This is the position which ex-Governor Noyes declined, and Governor Hoadly, after recommending a Cincinnati bank president, who also declined the position, recommended Mr. Hanna for the place. The position is regarded as one of much honor. Mr. Hanna is member of the Republican. State Executive Committee, and was a delegate-at-large to the Convention which mominated for the Governor Hoadly is renominated for the Governorship this episode will cause widespread dissatisfaction in the Democratic ranks

A Horithic Discovery.

ATLANTA, GA, August 11.—The police yesterday discovered in the subarbs of the city an insane woman named Jane Wheeler, living in a hut with six negromen who, she said, were her husbands. The woman lived in as qualled hat and was and dissemination of cholers here, but the

day that the Emperor William and " Czar will have a meeting shortly, but a what place it has not yet been stated. General Poisset, the Russian Minister of Communications, is already at Warsaw making preparations for the Czar's visit to the Emperor of Austria and Emperor of the Emperor of Austria and Emperor of Germany. The army is being mobilized to occupy the different lines of railway to be traversed by the Czar and to guard the bridges, tunnels and crossings. The military precautions taken last year to protect the Czar against an outrage by Nhilists are being repeated on a larger scale, owing to the authorities having received information to the effect that the Nhillists in Europe have recently shown great in Enrope have recently shown great activity and have plenty of money.

Parisian Morals.

PARIS, August 11 .- While the English Parliament is engaged in passing laws to protect girls from men the Paris press is agitating the subject of protecting boys from women. The growth of low drinking shops called brasseries de fem mes during recent years has been enormous, especially in the Quarter Latin. Women of the lowest type

ster of Finance has prepared a measure enacting a close governmental supervision of the affairs of all German firms carrying on manufacturing business within th Czar's dominions. The bill will require Caar's dominions. The bill will require that all the correspondence, both private and general, of these firms, shall be submitted to Russian officials. The result of the enforcement of the measure will be to expose German manufacturing firms carrying on business in Russia to having their affairs known and made use of by dishonest Russian Bureaucrats.

Deaths at Marseilles. The Agricultural Department reports deaths from cholers in this city to-day, improvement in the corn crop since the last report, and estimates the yield active new patients were admitted to the twenty-six to twenty-seven bushels per tree to the hospital. Several cases are reported from the Basses Alps.

A WHISKY RING. Between the Western Union and the Balti-

THE BARRELS TOO THICK

Internal Bevenue—How the Affair is Worked - The Vigilance of Sin: To correct the impression made by

morning's papers, I respectfully ask that you give the public the entire cable cor-CHICAGO, August 11 .- A Peoria, Ills. rious charges against certain Peoria dis-illers and discloses a second "whisky ring." The dispatch says: It is stated that some Peoria distilleries have been ising barrels constructed with thick Your letter received. We had some form of deal with the Baltimore & Ohio Telegraph Company, suggested here, but no figures proposed. Difficult for us to propose figures without data. Cannot Baltimore & Ohio Telegraph Company give order to admit examination of revenues and expenses? staves opposite the bung, the bung stave instead of being three-quarters of an inch in thickness were only half an inch. lon and a half more than the gaugers rod

shows.

Some time ago, as report goes, some whisky belonging to a large distillery was detained in the east for alleged irregularity in the barrels. The latter were tested and found to hold more than they ganged.

It is reported that several other distilleries were using the same sort of harrels. Last week Revenue Agent Summerville came quietly here and spent most of his time with the distilleries. Summerville then summoned a Pekin cooper, named Eads, who, it is said made certain barrels to order. Last Friday and Saturday the cooper in question was here and was entertained by Summerville. Dr. Norvin Green, New York:

The mortine I received your telegram Garrett had left for Paris. I did not, therefore, see him. He left a memorandum for me which amounted to this: That he was not prepared to exhibit his books; that the Western Union telegraph company knew exactly the extent of his system, and that the mileage of the Baltimore and Ohio Telegraph Company to-day was in excess of what the Atlantic and Pacific and the American Union were together at the time they were absorbed by the Western Union Telegraph Company. He seems to take this as a basis. Do you see your way to deal with him on this ground or even at a considerably modified price?

[Bigned]

PENDER.

A SMART LAWYER.

A Pushing Man who Shows that Petitians GADVESTON, Tax., August 11.—In a suit

at Longview, Hon. John W. Duncan, one Hon. John Pender, London:

We could not think of a deal with Garrett on anything like a basis of the American Union four years ago. If has no such amount of property.

We cannot go sate as argued that no value or reliance could be placed upon petitions promisenously signed by citizens. Opposing counsel refused Duncan's argument scatchingly and characterized it as absurd and idiotic. The court and the jury were also against Duncan. They believed petitions in any cause, if signed by good men, were entitled to respectful consideration. Chaprined and defeated, but not convinced that he was wrong, Duncan quietly went to work to prove that petitions were of no value. His ingenious zeal was rewarded yesterday, when in open court he read a solemn petition praying that the court would hang their feliow townsman, Luke Howard, who is one of the most respectable and enhang their feliow townsman, Luke Howard, who is one of the most respectable and enterprising citizens of the place. Donean displayed the unness of all the county officers and fifty business men signed to this fudicrous petition.

Among the signers were the brother-in-law and isther-in-law of Howard. Every signature was proven genuine, and it was conceded last night that "Lawyer Dancan is just a little the smartest man in Longview." will soon go to pieces. At a meeting of the general passenger agents of the roads running east from this city, held yesterday, the represent-atives of the Baltimore & Onio stated that it was the intention of his company to again, place tickets over his road in outside offi-ces. This, of course, would carry with it the payment of commissions, as otherwise, the scalpers or brokers would not handle the tickets. The reason assigned by the Baltimore & Oho for its change of base is that by the existing arrangement, which

that by the existing arrangement, which does not permit the placing of tickets in offices at the hotels, it is losing much busi-BRISTOL, August 11 .- Notwithstanding he timid and cautious verdict of the jury The representatives of the other lines denied that the Baltimore & Obiosuffere from the present agreement. They though the Baltimore & Obio desired to break u suspicious disease resembling cholera, ew medical men doubt that he brought the Baltimore & Obio desired to break up the agreement, which could no longer be carried out if it insisted on placing tickets in outside offices. The chairman was instructed to telegraph General Passenger Agent Lord, of the Baltimore & Ohio, and ask him if it was his intention to withdraw in the second would consider his placing tickets in outside offices a withdrawal.

A Cowboy Phenomence.

Chicago, August 11.—The cowboy pianist, or the Texas progidy, gave a piano recital last evening at Weber Music Hall. The andience numbered over 300. He was roughly attired, but his renditions from "III Trovatore," "The Bohemian Girl," "The Suwance River," and "Home, Sweet Homee," enraptured both critics and sudience. He is but 25 pears old, and developed a remarkable taste for piano music seven years ago. His previous life was spent on the Texas plains, herding cattle. He was taken from there by his guardian, Mr. L. B. Pike, six months ago.

Notorious Desperade Caught.

We was allowed to stream out into the public channels. Its lower classes are herded together, their dwellings reeking, with flish ristollants have a bud method of disposing of sewage. Closed drains are only partially adopted, and the sewage of some \$0,000 population is permitted to flow in an open stream through some of the most congested sections of the city. This gigantic torrent of filth mingles with the Avon, which really, as it flows, wends its way to the sea through the heavily populated cannot be fell for a modified degree at all the seaports which have commercial relations with this city.

New York, Angust 11.—A special to the Baltimore & Obio desired to break up-the agreement, which could no longer be carried out if it insisted on placing tickets in outside offices. The chairman was in-structed to telegraph General Passenger Agent Lord, of the Baltimore & Ohio, and ask him if it was his intention to with-draw from the agreement, as the other roads would consider his placing tickets in outside offices a withdrawal.

New York, August 11 .- A special to ATLANTA, GA, August 11.—Charley the Time from Albany says: "A confer-Rose, his brother George, and a man ence of three quarters of an hour between named McKenzie have been arrested for President Cleveland and Governor Hill burglarizing a freight car. Charley is the notorious desperado suspected of robbing the Richmond & Danville car here several weeks ago. the President assured Governor Hill that the National Administration did not in-tend to take part in the fight in New York State, but would maintain a neutral posi-tion, and would not do anything either in favor of or in opposition to any candidate. Whether or not Mr. Cleveland said this, it is certain that those nearest to Gover-nor Hill are quite elated over the event of the day, and say that his chances of a nomination were never brighter. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 2, Chicago, 7. Errors, Buffalo, 8; Chicago, 6. Bases, Buffalo, 7; Chicago, 12. Pitcher, Wood and McCornick. At Boston-Boston, 8; New York, 4.

A Myslerious Murder. New York, August 11 .- No murder which has been committed in Brooklyn for years has caused so much excitement and comment as that of the shooting of Albert R. Herrick, in his residence, No. 330 Pearl street, vesterday afternoon. The house where the shooting occurred is an object of attention to-day to the people who pass it. Many theories are advanced as to who did the killing, some holding that it was the step-son, while others maintain that it was a burgiar, who was caught by Mr. Herrick and who shot him down to effect his escape. Herrick's step-son, Armstrong, is still in custody. The police are still hard at work on the case, but so far nothing new has been developed. Albert R. Herrick, in his residence, No.

RICHMOND, VA., August 11 .- Tho W. Carpenter, charged with stealing Mark A gentleman at Newport, R. I., let a Downing's bonds to the amount of \$38,000, mouse out of a trap for his cat, but a big was before the Police Court to-day and rooster standing near jumped on it first, took it in his bill by the ncck, and shook took it in his bill by the ncck, and shook

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